

House Resolution 819

By: Representatives Taylor of the 173rd, Cannon of the 172nd, and Greene of the 154th

A RESOLUTION

1 Congratulating the Thomas County Central Yellow Jackets for winning the 2023 GHSA
2 Class 6A State Football Championship; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the Thomas County Central Yellow Jackets have established and maintained
4 a proud tradition of excellence with equal emphases on character and academics; and

5 WHEREAS, the team brought special recognition to its school and to Thomas County by
6 winning the 2023 GHSA Class 6A State Football Championship against Woodward
7 Academy with a final score of 49 to 28; and

8 WHEREAS, excellent play, superior teamwork, and extraordinary resilience made this team
9 a spectacular one to observe throughout the season, and this decisive victory represents both
10 a fitting finale to its remarkable 2023 campaign as well as the team's first state football
11 championship since 1997; and

12 WHEREAS, the phenomenal performance of the team is a clear indication of the outstanding
13 athletic ability, dedication and hard work, and unity of purpose and spirit of each member
14 of the team; its superb offensive and defensive talents; and the astute direction of Head
15 Coach Jason Rogers; and

16 WHEREAS, as this magnificent team earned its well-deserved reputation for excellence by
17 performing with courage and precision over months of training and competition, it is
18 abundantly proper to call them champions.

19 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
20 the members of this body congratulate the Thomas County Central Yellow Jackets for
21 winning the 2023 GHSA Class 6A State Football Championship and extend best wishes for
22 continued success.

23 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
24 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the
25 Thomas County Central Yellow Jackets.